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HUSTONVILLE, LINCOLN COUNTY.

—J. P. Bailey, of Stanford, cheered by the surroundings of his youth, unbent his dignity like an old, veiled his hoary locks for a time and in company with a blooming young lady, adventured in the mazy dance Thursday night. The old gentleman sustained no injury so far as can be earned, but returned to his rustic tomes with perfect resignation.

—G. M. Givens, who superintended the preparation of the grave at McCormack's Church on Saturday, states that the ground was so completely saturated with water as to make it difficult to complete the work. Having finished the vault, they were compelled to dig a reservoir beneath it to prevent the water from rising in the outer case until the coffin could be deposited.

—Fred, on Thursday night, the little child of G. F. Peacock, aged only a few days. On Friday at 6 o'clock P. M., Matthew Speed Peyton, aged 71 years. Notwithstanding he attained to an advanced age, Mr. Peyton was from childhood of a delicate constitution. His last illness was protracted and the termination seemed to be simply a wearing out of the system.

—There is some surprise on the part of the young that Stanford—with four honorable exceptions—was unrepresented here on Thursday night. There was a large company present and they seemed to have enjoyed the evening highly. The supper is said to have been excellent, very abundant and the masquerade afforded a great deal of amusement. A young lady who was present furnishes from memory a partial list of the younger portion of the assembly, but declares that a registry of the older spectators and participants would be mistaken for a census of two or three counties.

Ruth Depaux, Danville, Woman in White; Bertie Newlin, Danville, Night; Lizzie Twidwell, Aurora, Id., Fwiddell, Charming Little Flower girl, Belle Bogie, Queen of Night; Sallie Cook and Beatie Dye, Fairy Queens; Helen Reid, Highland Mary; Maude Dye, Spring; Julia Bradley, Spanish Lady; Jessie Cook, Fairy; Belle Cook, Mexican Girl; Lizzie Dye, Japanese Lady; Jennie Reid, Shepherdess; Emma Perkins, Summer; Eva Bradley, Stanford Flower Girl; Julia Weatherford, Peasant Girl; Anna Reid, Bo Peep; Lou Hocker, Red Riding Hood; Lena Williams, Spring; Lena Goode, Nalad Queen; Chloe Logan, Battered; Hettie Goode, Minerva; Sallie Jenkins, Nun. The gentlemen maskers were: D. Taylor, Representative from Shadysburg; George Weatherford, Hamlet; Juna Hocker, Napoleon; Ernest Woods, Wild Irishman; Bub Hocker and Wolford Dye, Dudas; Will Hocker and Lee Reid, Sailor Boys; Jas. Cook and Shack Huffman, Oscar Wilde; Will West, Cadet; Joe Page, Highland Laddie; Will Huffman, Chinaman; Rex and McFee, Uncle Sambo and Aunt Dinah; G. F. Peacock, German Professor; Doc Dye, Sailor Boy; June Reid, Turk; Dave Allen, Mephistopheles; Jim Reid, Joseph Sold; George Dye, Fashionable Belle; Will Reid, Skelton; Henry Dye, Faust; Mat Thompson, Apollo; Jno. Burgin, Secretary L. & I. Society. The following young men from Danville took part: Will Robinson, Chesterfield; Lucien Logan, Uncle Remus; Little Red Steer; Stanley Archibald, Athletic Young Man; Hugh Craft, Tom Thumb; Jim Guest, Stargazer; Will Davis, Vick's Floral Guide. The following constituted the "Mulligan Guard": W. W. Wiseman, Basil Guest, Will Moore, A. Hunder, Will Lambert, Sam Harlan, George Evans, Lud Evans.

Those not masked were: Misses Gena and Sophie Bright, Danville; Mattie Coffey, Liberty; Bettie Jenkins, Cora Sandidge, T. Logan, Mary Thompson, Alice Jones, Mollie Mounce, Lizzie Page, Bettie Logan, Nannie Brown, Lincoln. Dr. Jno. Bogie, Danville; Carroll Reid, James Allen, Farris Sandidge, Mat Sandidge, Calvin Carpenter, Will Weatherford, Buck Weatherford, Frank Lee, Sam Logan, Lincoln.

A ground hog confined in the Zoological Garden at Baltimore came out of his hole on February 2. This was the first seen of him since he went into winter quarters, October 20. The keeper placed some corn near the hole on February 1, but this did not tempt him. He was closely watched, and at 11:30 on the following day was seen to come slowly crawling out. After looking around for a little while he went to the corn and commenced eating. A beam of sunlight fell slantingly through the roof of the inclosure, and in moving about the ground-hog crossed it. He saw his shadow, and immediately darted into his hole. The garden-keeper will watch for future movements. The ground-hog has a week to stay in the ground, and on March 21 the time will be up for another appearance.

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GARRARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT

Lancaster.

—Rollins Bowman, of Richmond, is attending Circuit Court and is representing Madison creditors in the J. B. Kerby & Co. case.

—W. S. Beazley sold a fine coach horse to Mr. Keith, at Paine's Station, this week. Pony considered it a fine animal and received a good price for it.

—Circuit Court will adjourn next Saturday. The Grand Jury has found about 30 indictments, the majority of which are for small offences. Mark May was sent to the penitentiary for two years for horse stealing.

—The youngest child of David Thompson, a bright little girl twelve years of age, died Thursday night after an illness of two weeks. The family and friends have the heart felt sympathy of our community in their bereavement. The remains were interred in Mt. Vernon cemetery Saturday.

—Stepping into Burnside's drug store one afternoon last week we accidentally overheard a conversation between a number of our prominent farmers who were seated around the stove discussing the propriety of organizing an "Agricultural Club." From general and special remarks we obtained enough information to announce that such an organization will be perfected at an early date. The membership will be limited and only those will be admitted who are known to entertain common sense views on specialties in stock raising and farming. Before a petition is accepted by the order he must answer a certain number of questions as a test of his qualifications. As far as we could ascertain the interrogations will relate to peculiar views entertained by individual members and distinguished farmers in the county. We are not at liberty to publish all we heard with reference to what a member may expect after initiation; suffice it to say the proceedings will be of such a nature as to insure prompt attendance at every meeting, and the exercises will be so varied and interesting as to command the undivided attention of all present. By special request we are allowed the privilege of publishing a few of the most important questions that will be propounded and the views elicited by the examination will furnish sufficient material to judge of a candidate's qualifications. Those who would aspire to membership would do well to ponder seriously over the questions we give below.

1. Do you concur with Joe Robinson in the belief that the cheapest and best way to dispose of horse bones upon the land is to bury them several feet underground? And do you believe that such a procedure will enrich the soil by decomposition?

2. Do you hold to the belief with George Evans that when a cow loses its "cud" that she should have a new one? What material would you suggest?

3. Do you think John Gill is right in ordering all his grain sown and harvested and his meat killed and salted by the light and dark of the moon?

4. Would you follow the example of Tynes Cooke and leave the clods on your wheat ground to be broken up by the freezing and thawing process?

5. Would you follow the practice adopted by Jesse Doty for cutting off sheep tails, which consists in grabbing the tails in the left hand, as the animal leaps over a fence, and cutting them off with a knife in the right hand? How much bone would slough off after such an operation?

6. Do you believe that wheat sown broadcast with the hand, would produce more than if drilled?

7. Do you raise Jersey?

These are a few of the number of questions that will be proposed to the candidate for consideration and the casual observer will notice that they involve much material for discussion. The Club will enter upon its brilliant career with Col. J. H. Bruce, Major Jas. A. Burnside, Jno. S. Gill, Joseph Robinson, Joel Walker, W. Burnside and Thos. Anderson as charter members and with such an array of substantial citizens and successful farmers the organization is destined to be of immense benefit locally and otherwise. Discussions upon the most important topics concerning the farm will be held each meeting and each member will be expected to proclaim his views without reservation. From time to time prominent men will be invited to advise the Club upon suitable subjects for discussion. The first meeting will be held at Masonic Hall, where permanent arrangements will be made for meeting, &c. At the opening John S. Gill will deliver an address upon the "Best way to sow grain." The new club has our best wishes for its success and may it live long and prove of practical benefit to the entire county.

"What in thunder made you take my exchanges out of this room?" exclaimed an editor in wrath, addressing the guttapercha colored gentleman whose duty it was to sweep the "santum" floor.

"What does yer mean, dem newspaper?"

"Yes, Why the deuce did you take 'em away?"

"I didn't know yer wanted 'em boss. I seed yer cuttin' 'em all ter pieces wid a par o' scissors yiste'day. Thought yer jist wanted 'em to whittle on, so I tuck 'em away 'n' fotch yer some ole paper. Wife wants de new paper ter paste on de wall, sah."—[Ark. Traveler.

DANVILLE, BOYLE COUNTY.

—Joe Haas who is one of the most stirring business men in Boyle county, has about \$1,000 worth of mink, skunk and coon skins undipped of.

—Mr. Charles H. Lucas, formerly of this place, now of Cincinnati, and an appreciative subscriber and reader of the INTERIOR JOURNAL, was here last week greeting old friends.

—Mrs. L. C. Read, of Louisville, late candidate for State Librarian, is quite sick at the residence of her friend, Miss Lizzie Irvine. She has been confined to her bed since Thursday.

—Twenty-one shares of Central National Bank stock belonging to the estate of the late R. W. Graham will be sold publicly next Monday in front of the courthouse. Stock of this bank sold in May last at \$200.

—The railroad and express companies are not encouraging the shipment of freight this (Monday) morning in the direction of the flooded districts. They explain the uncertainty of prompt arrivals and let the shipper take the risk.

—Last Friday was the last day for suing in our Circuit Court, which commences on Monday the 19th inst. There are thirty appearances, among them the case of F. M. Taylor vs. H. T. Crowder, an important case which is here by change of venue from Marion county.

—Mr. John Jett, of the firm of Moss & Jett, of Kansas City, Mo., is here, detained by the high water which covers some of the railroad over which he desires to travel home. Mr. Jett is a native of this county and is an enterprising and energetic young man. His house carries on a flourishing grocery business.

—Messrs. George Metcalf, W. K. Hobbs and H. W. French were at Lancaster Friday as witnesses for the prosecution in the case against Malcolm Ray, charged with horse stealing. Ray took the horse, whether feloniously or not, in Garrard county last September and brought it here and tried openly to dispose of it. His conduct at the time impressed a number of persons who saw him with the opinion that he was wrong in the upper story.

—The "hot water" mania which we knew would certainly rage here, is at last upon us, ladies so far being the principal victims. In case some of your readers may not "tumble" at once "to the racket" the following explanation is submitted. Hot water is the latest panacea for all human ills, it is supposed to cure the sick and make the well feel from 99 to 100 per cent. better than they would without it. The first thing the victim does after rising in the morning is to call for a spoon and a cup of boiling hot water and then as soon as it can be taken without literally scalding the mouth and throat to sip it by the spoonful until it is all gone. The dose is repeated by some persons twice and by others thrice per day. A recent medical writer in speaking of the habit says that "the human stomach can endure so much is a proof of the vitality of the race."

—Three brothers, Frank, Jack and William Flynn, while riding through the streets of Hot Springs Ark., were fired upon by seven men armed with shot-guns and Winchester rifles. The availing party emerged from a saloon and their attack was unexpected. One of the Flynns was killed, and the other two mortally wounded. The driver of the carriage was also mortally wounded, and as was a bystander named Hargrave. Another bystander named Craig was shot in the back, but not fatally.

—The whisky sold by Louisville dealers in 1883 amounted to 145,000 barrels, or 6,100,000 gallons, and was worth \$6,900,000.

PANIC IN A MENAGERIE.—A lion tamer at a menagerie in England, while going from den to den as usual, was about to enter the cage containing a group of young lions, when one of them sprang past him, and alighted on the ground in the midst of the people. The latter rushed for the street, and a panic ensued. Meanwhile the young lion, himself badly frightened, ran round and among the spectators, pursued by the attendants of the menagerie, who finally captured him in an empty barrel. In the excitement a woman was forced against a cage containing a large, full-grown lioness, which extended its paw beneath the bars of the cage and clutched at the woman's head, inflicting serious wounds.

WRITING NAMES ON HATBANDS.—The romantic experience of Miss Beach, the young lady of Bethel, Conn., who wrote her name on the band of a hat, and finally married the New Orleans gentleman into whose hands it fell, has had an unexpected sequel. Of course the other girls in the shop did the same thing, and now a western firm has refused a consignment of hats sent on their order, because so many of them have young ladies' names written inside the bands. Several worried men who, unobserving bought hats so marked, had the very foul fend's own tale about the matter, and the locality was all broken up for a while.

When a woman is making bread, she may be said to be in the very flower of her usefulness.

The Mormons are said to number 127,294. They have increased over 23,000 during the past year.

LEGISLATIVE DOINGS.

—Mr. Cook presented a bill for the benefit of J. B. Fish, of Rockcastle.

—Miss Clara Whitehead, a worthy lady of Rockcastle county, received the republican vote for Librarian.

—A bill was passed by the House fixing the fees of witnesses in Magistrate's courts at fifty cents per day.

—The House passed a bill appropriating \$25,000 for the relief of sufferers from the flood in the Commonwealth.

—Bills to prohibit the sale of liquors of any kind within three miles of Bush Grove and Shady Grove churches in Casey county, were presented by Mr. Simpson.

—Mr. Simpson offered a bill to incorporate Mr. Zimmerman's town of Yosemite, in Casey county and another bill was presented to incorporate Pittsburg in Laurel county.

—The caucus to nominate a warden for the penitentiary adjourned till next Friday night without doing anything. An effort will be made to nominate a candidate for Public Printer Wednesday night.

—An act to change the boundary line between Laurel and Rockcastle counties was passed by the House. It repeals an act made in 1871 and makes Rockcastle river at Livingston the line, as it was formerly.

—The House adopted a resolution calling upon the Railroad Commissioners to furnish an estimate of the cost of fencing all lines of railroads within the State, and of the value of stock killed by railroad trains during the year 1883.

—Considering that the Legislature is doing next to nothing, it would seem that 2 clerks would easily keep up with the business, but they don't and a resolution appointing a second assistant was adopted, three R. Keller, of the Carlisle Mercury, was given the position.

Mardi Gras.

The Ohio & Mississippi Railway will sell round trip tickets at low excursion rates to New Orleans, on account of the Carnival. Sale beginning Feb. 20th and continuing until the 24th. Tickets will be good 5 days going and returning until March 20th. The Carnival this year will close with the usual parade and festivities on Tuesday, Feb. 26th. The O & M. R. runs a thro' sleeper from Cincinnati to New Orleans, via Odessa, daily. For tickets and further particulars, inquire of agents of that line.

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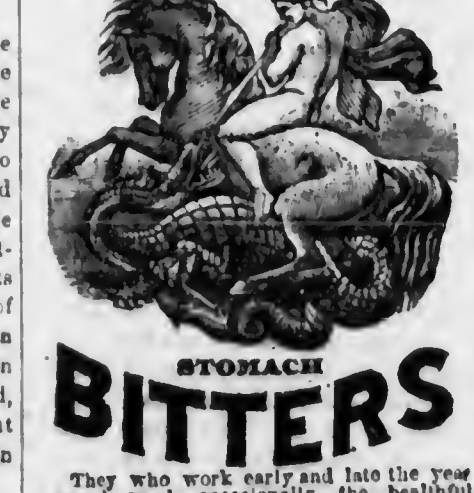
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DISSOLUTION.

The partnership of Bruce, Warren & Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent, Geo. H. Bruce & Co. buying the Clothing and A. A. Warren the Grocery Department. A. A. WARREN will meet anybody's prices and GEO. H. BRUCE & Co. especially will cut prices on some lines to reduce stock for Spring purchases.

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LOCAL NOTICES.

BOY PAINTS of Penny & McAllister.
Nice stock of birthday cards at Penny & McAllister's.
Joe. HAAZ HOG Cholera Cure. Penny & McAllister sole agents.
BRAND new stock of every thing in the jewelry line at Penny & McAllister's.
WATCHES, Clocks and Jewelry repaired and warranted by Penny & McAllister.
FOR coughs, colds, &c., use Compound Syrup White Pine. Put up in 25c and 50c bottles. Trial size 10c. McRoberts & Stage.

PERSONAL.

—MISS KITTIE AND ELIZA ROUT are visiting in Boyle county.
—REV. J. M. BRUCK has gone to visit relative near Sedalia, Mo.
—MRS. LIZZIE DILLON, of Lancaster, is the guest of Mrs. M. G. Nevius.
—MISS PANTHEA MCKINNEY has gone to visit Mrs. Wm. Royton in Garrard.
—MR. SMITH BAUGHMAN is confined to his bed with inflammatory rheumatism.
—MRS. COL. ALLEN, of Farmdale, has been visiting her daughter at the College.
—MISS LUCY BERTON has returned from a week's visit to friends in the West End.
—MR. JAMES CROW, one of our oldest and worthiest citizens, is in a precarious condition.
—MISS KATE BLAIN and Sallie Hawkins have gone to Knoxville to visit Mrs. Bettie Hall.

LOCAL MATTERS.

NEW CANDIES at Metcalf & Owsley.
DR. J. G. CRISPENTER has a new boy at his house.
THE Rink will close next Friday night for a season.
IT is all over town now, very decidedly what? Mud!
WANTED.—500 bushels of Irish potatoes Bright & Curran.
THIRTEEN pounds of good New Orleans sugar for \$1 at T. R. Walton's.
COME and see our display of agricultural implements when in town. Bright & Curran.
IF you want to see something nice and pretty in fancy candies just step in at T. R. Walton's.

THE Somerset Republican has this item: Born, on the 5th inst., to the wife of W. C. Owens, a boy. Weight 12 pounds. The mother was formerly Miss Hicks.

H. C. RUFFLEY is beginning to receive his Spring stock of saddles, of which he will have a larger and better stock than ever. Call early and make a selection.

THE firm of Bruce, Waring & Co., has dissolved. Mr. A. A. Warren having bought out the grocery department and Messrs. Geo. H. Bruce & Co., the clothing. Good luck to both firms.

SUNDAY'S Courier Journal contained a flattering call on Col. Sam M. Burdett to become a candidate for Congress in this district signed by some 50 leading democrats of Rockcastle.

SUBJECT MURDERER arrested John L. inter yesterday for obtaining money under false pretenses from Mrs. Wheeler and a negro, Lewis Lynn, for carrying concealed weapons. The former will be tried tomorrow and the negro later in jail.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of M. J. Harris, dead, who do not settle by the 15th day of next March will have to pay the cost of a law suit. I need the money to pay debts of this estate and I am tired of dunning you. This is the last notice I intend to give any one. M. J. Harris Admr.

JOHN NEWLAND did not have so much trouble in making his calling and election sure as Joe Blackburn did. The City Council unanimously elected him marshal on the first ballot, hardly giving him a competitor. Mr. Pennington, a consideration John makes a good office and the compliment was well deserved.

WAYNE county is in as good financial condition as any county in the State. The affairs are economically conducted, the expense for running them being about one-half of what it costs this county. The total bonded indebtedness is but \$2,500 and there are funds on hand more than sufficient to meet them when they become due. The County Judge and Attorney cost \$350 each. We get these figures from the list of claims furnished by County Clerk J. N. Shepherd.

KILLED BY THE CARS.—George W. Lin gelfeller, formerly of this county, was killed at the Short Line Junction last week where he was acting as watchman. The Post says: He attempted to board a passing switch engine, but missed his footing and fell under the wheels. His right leg was crushed below the knee and his left foot was ground off. Amputation was found necessary but he died shortly after the operation. He was 67 years old and leaves a wife and children, dependent upon him for support.

ACCORDING to the report of the State Railroad Commission, a copy of which has just been received, there are 1,937 miles of railroads in the State. Lincoln county has 24 miles of the Cincinnati Southern, 5 of the Kentucky Central, 22 of the Louisville & Nashville and about 5 of the Cincinnati, Green River & Nashville, making 66 miles in all. During the year 79 people were killed and 323 wounded by railroad accidents. The report is a very voluminous concern and contains a great deal of matter that is hardly worth the trouble and expense of its publication.

REX PITMAN died in the Boyle county poor-house last week.

NICE new candies, oranges, lemons, bananas, &c., at T. R. Walton's.

A NICE house and lot for sale or rent in Stanford, Ky. Apply to Mr. C. A. Griggs.

FOR fresh goods and low prices we defy competition on canned goods. Metcalf & Owsley.

New Hamburg edgings, plaid Nanooks, Indian linens and lace curtains opened at Robt. S. Lytle's.

THE largest and most complete line of canned goods in town and always at bottom figures at Bright & Curran's.

COMFORTABLE residence with three acres of land attached, in Stanford, for sale or rent. Apply to J. Bright.

JOE ANDERSON, late barber at Williamsburg, was shot and killed on Sunday evening at Jellico by some man, name unknown, with whom he had an altercation on the station platform.

WHILE riding on his farm a few days ago, Mr. S. H. Baughman's horse began to mire and in the effort to regain himself, threw Mr. B. off and his feet becoming entangled in the stirrups, he was badly hurt in one of his knees and otherwise.

AN editor should have a heart of steel, else he will be coaxed out of publishing every sensation affair. For the first time in a month we got hold of one this week, but yielded to the entreaties of those concerned and suppressed the racist little paragraph imaginable.

No mail agent on the train again last Friday. There was a slide and a transfer and as the mail agents have to run through from Louisville to Knoxville there was no agent to return with the train. The officials should arrange it so the agents' trips are the same as the conductors'.

HARRIS & MURPHY have for sale the best yeast to the world, with directions for using it. We also keep fresh bread, cakes, home-made candies and all kinds of fruit and confectioneries. We do our own baking and will sell 6 lb. loaf bread for 25c to regular customers. We do not think our bread can be beaten anywhere. Call and see for yourself.

We have never since going into business heard of so many complaints about the carelessness of mail agents. Mr. S. G. Cuniff, Somerset, writes us that he gets his paper very irregularly. Mr. T. H. Smith, at Clarksville, Tenn., says he had had but three copies this year. Mr. R. E. Hall, Leves, Ky., says he often fails to get it that it reaches him, and so on almost without end. We believe that the whole fault lies in the incompetency of the men employed, who get positions, not on account of merit and fitness, but because they have done some party work, the dirtier perhaps the better. We will hail with delight the accession of the democracy to power, if for no other reason than to see these worthless rascals put back on their own limited resources.

THE effort to raise sufficient stock for the Building Association is meeting with gratifying success, nearly 300 shares of \$100 being already subscribed. That the matter may be perfectly understood we extract a few items from the proposed charter. The object, as before stated, is to enable owners of shares of stock to aggregate their weekly savings into a common fund and to loan the same at interest; to enable its shareholders to obtain loans of money upon mortgage without being required to give personal security and to enable the Association to erect for its shareholders comfortable and beautiful houses and to permit them to pay for same in weekly installments. On a share of \$100 a weekly payment of only 25 cents will be required and the stock will be exempt from execution except to foreclose a mortgage given to the company. The money of the Association is to be invested in loans secured by mortgage upon real estate situated in Lincoln county and no loans are to be made outside of the Association. When as much as \$300 is on hand it shall be offered at public auction and the one offering the greatest premium shall have it at 6 per cent. interest provided the Board shall so decide. The profits of the concern shall be ascertained at the end of each half year and the amount credited to each shareholder according to his number of shares. The association will have the right to purchase and hold all real estate and personal property necessary to carry on the objects of its creation. The affairs are to be managed by a Board of Directors to be elected by the stockholders. Such associations are working admirably in all of the cities, especially in Cincinnati, where there are at least 50 of them. For a man desiring to secure a home of his own, there is no way he can do so, so easily and profitably as by uniting with this association.

MARRIAGES.

—Invitations are out for the marriage of Mr. W. P. Bradshaw and Miss Mattie M., the pretty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Goode, next Thursday, at 8 p. m. On the following night Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carter will give them a reception.

—Mr. W. S. Culbertson, a wealthy but somewhat aged citizen of New Albany, Ind., and Mrs. Keith Young, a fair young widow of Paris Ky., were married Thursday by Rev. Dr. Hanton. The bridal tour embraces a trip around the world.

—The New York banks have a surplus of \$21,000,000. At this time last year the surplus was \$6,500,000.

—A book is shortly to appear in which the author will present the proof that Queen Victoria was secretly married to John Brown shortly after the death of the royal consort.

RELIGIOUS.

—The Presbyterian Mission Board wants \$400,000 raised by May 1, to close the year out of debt.

—Marshall Reid, a young Reform minister of Pulaski county, died last week in Smithton, Mo., of small-pox.

—It is likely that Rev. H. A. Tupper will be called to the pastorate of the Broadway Baptist church, Louisville.

—After a long break in the contributions to the Barnes Tent Fund, the monotony was relieved last week by the reception of \$3 from a lady of Winchester making the amount received to date \$71.

—The great revival in Grace M. E. Church, Newport, closed last week. The conversions and sanctifications number upward of one hundred and sixty. A large proportion of those blessed united with the church.

—The statistics for 1883 give the following general divisions of faith in part of the United States: Roman Catholic, 4,000,000 communicants and 7,421 churches; Methodist, 4,101,081 members, 53,812 churches; Baptist, 3,380,896 members 38,174 churches; Presbyterians, 1,108,950 members, 13,597 churches; Congregationalists, 397,640 members, 4,016 churches.

—Tom Harrison, nicknamed the "boy preacher" for getting \$100 a week for preaching 13 weeks in St. Louis. When asked by those who had employed him to make some ten minute speeches in another part of town, he refused unless his wages were increased. Harrison has on several times been shown up as a hypocrite and fraud and it is strange that people will flock to hear maniacal ravings. But all the fools are not dead neither are they shut up in institutions for the feeble minded.

—While in Cincinnati last week we visited the "Deulah Land Faith Rest," which was established some six months ago by Miss Willie J. Lillard, as a rest for those who could trust the Lord to heal their bodily diseases. It is situated on Park avenue in Walnut Hills and is a handsome two story house, built in the centre of a lawn, studded with shade trees. The rooms, some eight in number, are all neatly furnished and an air of coziness and brightness pervades them. "The Rest" was founded in answer to the prayer and faith of Miss Lillard, who is one of the most charming ladies as well as apparently the most lovely of Christians. With no money of her own, she was enabled, she told us, by "simply trusting" to find men willing to give their money to such an enterprise and the prayer of faith continues to be answered with funds to keep it up. There have been a number of very remarkable cures, we were informed, since its opening and hundreds have embraced the opportunity afforded to learn how to "trust Him" for the restoration of health. Miss Lillard was herself the subject of a remarkable cure at the Pink Cottage and from that hour she determined to devote her life to the service of the Lord. Miss Sallie Harrison, formerly of this place and a niece of Rev. Geo. O. Barnes, presides gracefully as house-keeper at the "Rest" and is thoroughly devoted to the work.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP.

—Hogs are selling at 75 cents in Cincinnati, during the flood.

—Thoroughbred red bull, two year old, for sale. Apply to W. E. Amon. Im.

—A. M. Feland sold to Levi Hubble one last-year colt, one time out of Paney for \$50 and a horse mule colt for \$50.

—R. H. Crow sold to Levi Hubble, two "On Time" colts for \$250. Also a pair of aged mules to Frank Gentry for \$315 and to A. E. Logan a lot of shotes at 43 cents per hundred.

—The farmers of Michigan are turning their attention to reform of county fairs. They design shearing off the horse racing features and banishing intoxicating drinks beyond their limits.

—The mild moist weather is causing the wheat crop to wear a promising appearance. Grass, too, responding to the favorable temperature. Those who depended on their cane thickets for winter browse have been disappointed. The freeze was too severe for this pestiferous indigence.

—A. M. Feland received a draft yesterday from J. A. Lowe, Kansas Centre, Kansas, for \$1,400 for 16 head of thoroughbred bulls, including Bracelet Duke and four cows. Mr. Feland is a fine stock-raiser, thoroughly responsible and handles nothing but the best of stock of all kinds. This sale was made entirely by correspondence and Mr. Feland guarantees satisfaction.

—It is asserted that the peach crop of the coming season will probably prove a good one, about Grand Haven, Mich. That is a noted peach-growing locality, and to a great extent supplies the Chicago market with peaches. Thus far, the lowest point indicated by the mercury this year, was on January 4 and 5, but 4° below 0, when it marked -27° at Chicago, -30° at Milwaukee, and -25° at Atlanta, Georgia.

—Madison county must beat the world in mule raising. We have repeatedly copied this season from the Register reports of large sales of them and now it comes to the front with another batch as follows: Burgess & Gentry, of Lexington, bought of Wm. Arnold 36 broke mules, 153 hands high, very fat, at \$125 per head. J. B. Day, of Carlisle, bought of Thos. Gibson 20 broke mules at \$110. Howard Bailey, of Georgetown, bought of Million & Deatherage, 10 broke mules at \$140. John W. Fox bought of J. F. Wyatt, 14 broke mules at \$124. Burgess & Gentry bought at J. & J. S. Collins stable on court day, 10 or 15 broke mules at \$110 to \$175 per head. Mr. R. P. Fox left for Atlanta, Ga., last Wednesday with a car load of good mules. The same paper says that the wheat in the county is looking very promising.

NOTES OF CURRENT EVENTS.

—Five Breman were killed and eleven wounded in a fire in Allentown, Pa.

—In an engagement near Sontay the French routed a force of rebels and killed from four to five hundred of them.

—There were 2,200 killed in the rout of Baker Pasha near Tokar. Ninety-six of the killed were officers. Baker Pasha has 3,500 men left one-third of whom are unarmed.

—Chicago is moving for the construction of a hall within the Exposition building of eight thousand seating capacity, in which to hold a grand opera festival in 1885.

—Mrs. Mix, of Steamboat Rock, Iowa, standing over the open grave of her husband said they might as well be buried together and shot herself. It is hardly possible for her to recover.

—Rev. J. W. Asbury, colored, late republican candidate for State Superintendent of Education, has accepted a place as government store-keeper and some of his brethren are displeased.

—Watson, who was convicted in Ohio for "lobbying" the Legislature and sent to the penitentiary for two years, was offered a pardon by Gov. Hoadly if he would leave the State never to return, but he refused, saying he would accept no pardon with a single condition whatever.

We Give the Statement.

FEB 9TH, 1884

MR. W. P. WALTON,
DEAR SIR:—I see a statement in your paper of last week that was said I run against a Buggy wheel and broke it a purpose. Which is not true there is no reason in it it was done accidental I want you to right it in your next paper Or give this statement yours Jonathan Owsley.

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A copy. Attest J. ELAIN, Clerk L. C. C.

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Married man, to take charge of Tobacco and Seed Farm. Must be of good character and furnish first class references. None others need apply. A. W. Address Box 15, Stanford, Ky.

CITY ORDINANCE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF STANFORD,

1st. That it shall be unlawful for any person to keep or carry any weapon in the city at one time more than 200 pounds of gunpowder.

2d. That any person convicted of a violation of the foregoing shall be fined not less than five dollars nor more than twenty five dollars for each offense.

3d. That of any person convicted of a violation of the foregoing shall be taken from his license. JAS. J. McROBERTS, City Clerk.

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P. S.—All persons knowing themselves indebted to me, either by note or account, will please come forward at once and settle, as my old business must be closed up immediately. All notes and accounts not settled in 30 days will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection. F. M. WARE.

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